

Supplementary Material 2. Questionnaire of knowledge about COVID-19.

Questions	Participants (N=520), n (%)
What are the main forms of transmission of COVID-19?	
Through sneezing, coughing, or talking to infected people (true)	513 (98.7)
Direct contact with domestic animals (false)	23 (4.4)
Bringing hand to face after touching contaminated surfaces (true)	496 (95.4)
Bites from contaminated insects (false)	5 (1.0)
Taking filtered water in cities with many cases of infection (false)	15 (2.9)
Using products that came from China, where the coronavirus appeared (false)	12 (2.3)
Contact with contaminated people (eg, kiss, hug, or handshake; true)	507 (97.5)
What are the three most common symptoms of COVID-19?	
Diarrhea and vomiting (false)	34 (6.5)
Skin wounds (false)	2 (0.4)
Persistent fatigue (true)	123 (23.7)
Stuffy nose (false)	42 (8.1)
Fever (true)	469 (90.2)
Shortness of breath (false)	433 (83.3)
Cough (true)	416 (80.0)
Headache (false)	107 (20.6)
Sneezing (false)	90 (17.3)
What is the possible conduct after infection?	
The virus is not that dangerous, so you can continue your life normally (false)	1 (0.2)
You should be isolated at home and seek help if you feel short of breath or get worse (true)	459 (88.3)
You must immediately go to the hospital to seek medical attention (false)	60 (11.5)
Which risk groups are most likely to get infected?	
People with heart or kidney problems (true)	365 (70.2)
People with vision problems (eg, blindness or myopia; false)	1 (0.2)
Wheelchair users (false)	16 (3.1)
People with respiratory diseases and smokers (true)	514 (98.9)
Older adults (true)	511 (98.3)
People with cancer (true)	357 (68.7)
Adolescents and young adults (false)	4 (0.8)
People with diabetes or high blood pressure (true)	489 (94.0)
Pregnant women (true)	182 (35.0)
There are no risk groups (false)	0 (0.0)
Importance of social distancing	
Necessary (true)	510 (98.1)

Makes no difference (false)	10 (1.9)
Harmful (false)	0 (0.0)
Which alternatives are true about COVID-19?	
There is already a vaccine against COVID-19 (false)	33 (6.4)
Wearing gloves and masks for everyday activities decreases the chance of becoming infected with the virus (true)	458 (88.1)
Gargling with warm water, salt, and vinegar prevents coronavirus (false)	13 (2.5)
Hot water or tea kills the coronavirus (false)	5 (1.0)
70% gel alcohol kills the coronavirus (true)	477 (91.7)
Chloroquine protects people from becoming infected with the coronavirus (false)	9 (1.7)
There are already drugs that cure COVID-19 (false)	10 (1.9)
Soap, sanitary water, liquid alcohol, and common detergents kill the coronavirus (true)	426 (81.9)
Drinking alcohol kills the virus (false)	2 (0.4)
Social distancing has no scientific proof (false)	14 (2.7)
Once the person has had the coronavirus infection, they cannot have it again because they are immune (false)	82 (15.8)
